# REVENUE IN PAST YEAR

A Decrease Shown, Due to the Repeal of the Emergency Tax.

#### INCREASE SHOWN BY LIQUOR

More Revenue Was Also Derived From Cigars and Cigarettes-Summary of Exports.

The receipts of the internal revenue department, compiled for The Times-Dispatch for the year 1903, with comparisons with 1902, by Deputy Collector Robert McCandlish, show a decrease in totals over the preceding year. Receipts for the Becord District of Virginia for the veer slow a decrease compared with the receding year on every item of revenue save those of spirits, cigars and cigareties. The total decrease in revenue for the year compared with the preceding year is 222,666.32. The largest decrease is in the revenue derived from manufactured tobacco, then on documentary stamps and to little cigars.

It is not fair to infer that there has been a decrease in the output of tobacco, however On the other hand, the diminution of revenue from tobacco, which chiefly accounts for the year's decrease, is due to the fact that for half the year 1902 the tax on manufactured tobacco was 9.2-5 cents, whereas it has been but 6 cents ever since July 1, 1902, a decrease of 2.3-5 cents per jound. The decrease due to this source, amounting to shout one-sixth of total annual revenue, will alone eccount for the decrease in revenue. The prevenue and other special sources of revenue all contributed to the large decrease sown by the report.

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The increase in the revenue derivat from spirits is more than \$10,000. That on cigars at \$3 per thousand is more than \$67,000, and that on cigarettes is over \$69,000.

Here are the figures on internal revenue receipts by districts for each month, with comparisons of totals with last year:

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Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue M J. Enright has prepared for 'The Times-Dispatch the following statement of exports of tobacco, cigars and cigar-cites for the year compared with 1902.

## A Happy New Year!

is what we wish you, one and all-and may Dame Fortune smile her sweetest upon you and yours during the next twelve

We thank you, our friends and customers, for your past patronage-and solicit its continuance during the coming year. Our policy of lowest pessible prices, consistent with excellent quality, will always merit it.

# Lumsden.

731 E. Main,

RICHMOND, VA., January 1, 1904.

# A Salutation.

To Our Friends and the Public Generally-

It affords us great pleasure to state that through your kindly patronage and the appreciation of our efforts, we are enabled to record the greatest triumph of our mercantile life for the year ending 1903, our best business year (to date) yet. Anticipating a still greater success for 1904 with your continued liberal patronage we promise you a still more strenuous determination to please and our best attention through the coming year, and trust it may be to you a very happy one and mutually satisfactory in our business JULIUS SYCLE & SONS. relationship.

# RICHMOND'S BANKS MAKE FINE SHOWING.

Richmond's financial condition reflects the solid prosperity of this city. The showing made during the past year is the most remarkable in the history of the city, all conditions considered. The reports of the Comptroller of the Currency of all the national banks in the United States between September 15, 1902 and September 9, 1903, show a decrease in all deposits of over one million collars, and in individual deposits of over fitty-three million. In face of this geernal condition of the country, Richmond shows an increase in deposits during the past year of over \$2,200,000; an increase of surplus and undivided profits of about \$185,000. This progress has been made in spite of a demoralized stock market and great shrinkage of values.

For eight years from 1800 to 1898 the deposits in this city increased about \$3,500,000 and assets increased about \$4,250,000. During the past five years the deposits increased nearly nine million and the assets over twelve and a half million. Richmond is now a recognized financial center of the South, and its banks show conservative management and substantial growth and are doing a rapidly increasing business with the binking institutions of other Southern States. In 1888 the total amount due to banks was \$1,560,094; the amount due to banks at the last statement was \$1,928,683.

The South is lin a better financial condition than ever in its history. Nothing that I can say about Richmond can more clearly demonstrate its condition than the prosperity and substantial growth of its financial institutions.

RESOURCES.

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THE YEAR.

IN PRODUCE

It an Exceptionally Prosperous One.

Large Portions of the Country

almost unknown.

BUSINESS PRINCIPLES.

With the above very satisfactory conditions existing for the past year's business, the question naturally arises. What has caused the increased confidence in Richmond as a steady and reliable market for the sale of produce?

The question finds its answer in the simple statement that order has been brought out of chaos—business principles applied to business propositions—by the organization of nearly all of the commission men into an association, known as the Rehmond Fruit and Produce Association, the object of which is to engender a feeling of fraternity among its members, with a view to advancing the material interest of both merchant and shipper; to furnish the shipper as near as possible with perfectly fair and reliable market quotations, in order that he may not be misled and made to suffer a loss; to throw around every business transaction the principles of usifice housety and

not be misled and made to surrer a loss; to throw around every business transaction the principles of justice, honesty and the spirit of live and let live; and last, but not least, to do away with the permicious, unbusinesslike methods (heretofore

cious, unquienessiate methods (reretorore existing) of seiling or rather giving away our shippers' goods at auction, allowing the buyer to set the price upon the goods of the shirese instead of that being done by the merchant, to whose care and husiness judgment they have been en-

Ne member of the Richmond Fruit and Produce Association will allow any goods consigned to him to be sold at auction, and to the abandonment of this unbusi-

The report shows a decrease on all subjects except on cigars. The heaviest decrease has been in manufactured tobacco exports, amounting to more than three and a hair milion pounds. This large desation of the South African war, export crease is chiefly accounted for by the extended compared with the praceding to army posts in that continent.

More than twice as many cigars cave been exported during the year just ended, compared with the preceding year, and practically the same is true of cigarettes, despite the fact that during the year the American Tobacco Company has established a branch at Liverpool and is handling its English business from that point.

I to three months ago there was a large increase in this branch of the export lusiness.

Here are the figures, with comparisons rom both Richmond and Petersburg, for

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# THE YEAR IN **MANCHESTER**

Was Created a City of the First Class and Held the Standard.

#### POLICE AND FIRE PROTECTION

Many Street Improvements-Financiers and Business Men Look for Bright Future.

Manchester Bureau, Times-Dispatch, No. 1102 Hull Street.
The year just closed was one of regress and property for Manchester, twas an era in the cycle of its exis-

As the result of a special census the elty was placed among those of the first class, slowing a population of about 11,000, an increase of several hundred the last Federal census of three

over the last Federal census of three years ago.

With this jump into the first class, the city in its municipal affairs takes on an expansion. This expansion was burried along in some degree by the Constitution, which promises that the membership of the City Council shall be increased in a manner commensurate with the size and importance of the new city.

The citizens generally look upon this with some pride, believing that all signs of interval growth and prosperity tend to place the city among the important centres, thus further increasing its value as a residential and business place.

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Feeling its importance and its growth, and the necessity of offering its citizens the police protection that they should have, the City Council very visely enlarged the police force by the addition of two more men. This action has already redounded to the credit of the Council and to the honor of the city, for the city is now more fully patrolled than ever before, and the possibility of crime is lessened.

The fire department is made up of a staunch and brave set of men. It has made amny records, and the losses by fire during the past year have been cut to a minimum.

With all these safeguards around them, the citizens feel that life and property is as safe as can be, and a feeling of security encompasses them.

During the past year the City Council has done much toward making the city an ideal residential place. Thousands of dollars have been expended in permanent street improvements, and the Council expects to continue this profitable investment year by year, until every street has been put in good condition. With this going on the city fathers hope to further pracipitate the steady, substantial increase in population, which is naturally followed by an increase in business.

NO VACANT HOUSES.

Good Business Methods Made SOURCE OF SUPPLY EXTENDED

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NO VACANT HOUSES.

There are, practically, no vacant houses in the city, and the suburbs are growing up. A few years ago there were scores of vacant houses to be seen on every hand. This condition has changed. The constant employment and the continued prosperour times has caused families who had doubled up to spread out, and has been the cause of many new families, coming into the city, where work was ready for them. Merchants have had a fine year. The old custom of going to other cities to shop has died out, and there is nothing to be had at stores elsewhere that cannot be had at stores elsewhere the content have started up, and business has come to them. Other houses already established have enlarged.

The two banks are doing much business, and the Bank of Manchester have at their head some of the most substantial business men in the city. The deposits are large and are constantly increasing, with even brighter prospects the coming year.

Al. this goes to show upon what a firm foundation the city of Manchester is builded. It shows that the people at the bead of the business principles and unquestioned integrity. Most of them grew up with the city, played on vacant lots where houses and factories and mills now stand; some of them are adopted.

FINE SCHOOL OFFICIAL.

Cf course the children of a place make it. What is instilled into them in youth bears its fruits in later years. And that is w

tutions of learning.

While the financial condition of the banks, and business house is most encouraging, the same may be said of the city itself. The revenue exceeds the expenses considerably, and there is always a godly sum in the sinking fund. The city has not been compelled to borrow any money during the year, while on the other hand several extraordinary appropriations, have been made, and still the city will come out ahead at the end of the fiscal year.

The largest appropriation made during

the fiscal year.

The largest appropriation made during the year was that of \$7,000 for permanent street improvements. This money was divided equally among the four wards, and the work was judiclously done under the direction of the City Engineer. No special system was used, as was at first expected, but the work was done in various sections of the city.

NEW BESUBENCE

NEW RESIDENCE. Another appropriation, which was an extraordinary one, was that of \$1,800, for a new superintendent's house at Maury Cemetery. It had been feit for a long time that such a house was needed, and the appropriation was read-

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consigned to him to be soid at auction, and to the abandoniment of this unbusinessilito method, as well as the application of the other principles of our Association, can be traced the past year's increased receipts of produce, and the placing of Richmond as a reliable produce market upon a much higher business plane than it has heretofore occupied. With the above existing conditions, the members of the Richmond Fruit and Produce Association look back upon the year's work with pride, and with bright hopes and renewed encry they are ready to go into the work of the new year, determined to bend every energy, guided by true business principles, to lift their beloved city to a still higher business plane among the olives of our nation as a first-class fruit and produce market.

milis and factories and fourfirles here.
GOOD YEAR COMING.
Bank officials, business men and merchants are almost unanimous in the expression that the new year will not proved disastrous. Some say that prosperity is here to stay, as it did not come as a moom, but came stradily and continuous. Others say the good times now prevailing will not last to its fullest extent, as this is a "presidential" year, and that during all national election years business obbs and flows and is altogether uncertain.
The two banks, however, are sanguine. They have experienced a good year, and they see no reason why their prosperity should not continuo. The capital stock of each bank is fixed at \$50,000. The officers are fine citizens: Mechanics and alercants—Prosident, A. L. Adamson; Vice-President, if. C. Beattle; Cashier, J. H. Patterson; Directors, the above, George E. Gary, Augustiffe Royall, B. A. Nunnally, E. W. Weisiger, A. J. Daffron, Lank of Manchester—President, A. D. Shotwell; Vice-President, R. A. Bowen; Cashier, Clarence Vaden; Directors, the college and R. C. Broaddus, E. H. Weils, W. J. Carter and Kenneth Smith.
The oldest bank—the Mechanics and Merchants—pays a semi-annual dividend of 8 per cent. I the younger bank, at the close of the first year, will pay a 4 per cent, dividend, Both banks have a savings department, paying 8 per cent. on deposits.
Those two banks have depositors not only in Manchester, but from the surrounding counties.
Those two banks have depositors not only in Manchester, but from the surrounding counties.
From a careful study of the condition of the city during the past year, it would need that Manchester is in a state of prosperity hard to shake off.

# THE GRAIN AND COTTON EXCHANGE

Statistics' of That Important · Department for the Past Year.

The year's statistics of the Grain and Cotton Exchange, prepared by the secretary, Captain B. A. Jacob, are as fol-

Incorporated October 5, 1867; meets dally at 11 o'clock A. M.; second floor Columbian building. Thirteenth and Cary Streets. Officers for the year ending July 1, 1901; President, John F. Jacob, 'First vice-president, W. F. Richardson, Jr.

Eccond vice-president, R. A. Justis, secretary and treasurer, Captain B. A.

Secretary and treasurer, Captain B. A. Jacob.

Grain Inspector, Rodolph King.

Evard of Directors: Edward Alvey, W.

U. Enss, W. C. Bentley, S. T. Boveridge,
W. G. Bringg, R. L. Chenery, F. H.

Deane, T. H. Ellett, W. R. Johnston,

George T. King, George D. Mayo, T. L.

Moore, N. R. Savage, C. L. Todd and C.

W. Wingfield.

Receipts for the year: Wheat, 1,767,714

busiels; corn, 1,891,792 bushels; oats, 1,
75,712 bushels; rye, 64,314 bushels; total.

o,449,732 busicles, on increase of 18,614

over last year's receipts; Flour, 171,219

barrels; hay, 25,576 tons; mill feed, 6,134

tens; present membership, 68.

Mainly About People.

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The friends of Mrs. John A. Lancaster, who has been quite sick for several weeks, will be glad to know that she is now getting better.

Congressman Robert G. Southall was a visitor at the Capitol yesterday and was sreeted by many friends. Mr. Southall is said to be practically assured of renomination next summer without opposition, unless it should unexpectedly develop poorer that time. He is very popular in the instrict, and nearly, all the available congressional candidates are his friends and will aid rather than oppose him.

Colonel George C. Cabell, Jr., of Norsolk, counsel for the contessees in the worfolk city primary case was in the verterday. It is understood that he was here to confer with members of the title-committee of the State Committee or relation to taking up the case. Coleil Jr., N. Brenaman, a well known attache of the General Assembly, who has been spending the holidays in Baltimore, and returned to the city. Mr. Brenaman expresses himself as very well pleased with his prospects in his candidacy for register of the land offly. There are now several candidates in the field, and her race promises to be a lively one.

Air, J. M. Bauserman, ex-member of the oute from Shenandoah, arrived in the rity yesterday and was shalking hands with friends. Mr. Bauserman is the hoad of one of the Shenandoah factions.

Ongressman and Mrs. Claude A. Swanson, of Wishington, arrived in the city vesterday fir 1 the Capitol had with spend the holiday here. Mrs. Swanson is visiting her mother and sister here, while ur, Swanson is greeting his friends here. Suit was filed in the Circuit Court yesterday by J. H. Moore vs. The News. editer for \$60. alleged to be due for ervices rendered the paper.

Off Colors.

Gov. Pennypacker, of Pennsylvania, the politician who is opposed to the fraction of the press, dired with Plesident Rosseveit the other day. It will be observed that Teddy's guests are still off color.—acmphis Commercial-Appeal.

Indiana on Guard.

Now that there has been another vic-tim of mob violence in Alahama, the ne-groes of Indiana had better look sharp, for Indiana can usually be counted on to duplicate the performance, and add one more to show that she still holds the bell.—Birmingham News.

#### WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY

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the best values to be picked up these cold days. SPRING WASH STUFFS, in the various weaves and tints for 1904, are beginning to come in. Many folks are fond of starting the spring work early. To these we send

special notice. Outer and Underwear demand special attention, and all the old and new fabrics, such as India Linon, Long Cloth, Dimity, Nainsook, with the choice Oxfords, Chambrays, Cheviots and other White Fabrics for waists or suits. White continues the favorite. We delight to show our new goods. Samples promptly sent by mail.

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